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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification by inserting the following sentence on line 2, immediately following the title:

--This is a Continuation Application of PCT International Application No. PCT/IE99/00121, filed November 30, 1999.--

## REMARKS

The foregoing Preliminary Amendment is requested in order to place the application in better form for examination.

Early action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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